

Appl. No. : 09/855,932  
Applicant(s) : Tommy F. BROOKEY  
Filed : May 15, 2001  
For : Aphron-containing Well Drilling and Servicing Fluids

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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION OF JUNE 30, 2003**

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action of June 20, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper. New text is indicated by underlining and deleted text is lined through.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 8 of this paper.

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED DECEMBER 5, 2002

Attorney Dkt. No.: 1894-00733  
Date: April 7, 2003

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D. C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 5, 2002, Applicant respectfully requests  
that the Examiner reconsider the application based on the following amendments and remarks:

AMENDMENTS

Please enter the following amendments before further examination:

In the Specification:

Please insert before the first sentence on page 1, This is a divisional of Ser. No.

09/320,375, now Pat. No. 6,390,208, which is a continuation of Ser. No. PCT/US98/02566, filed  
February 10, 1998, which is a continuation of Ser. No. 08/800,727, filed February 13, 1997, now  
Pat. No. 5,881,826.

In the Claims:

Please amend pending claims 1, 4-8, 10, 14, 16 and 18 by replacement with rewritten  
claims 1, 4-8, 10, 14, 16 and 18 as follows:

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